

**IN THE UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:)	Group Art Unit: 3679
David DeRogatis <i>et al.</i>)	
Serial No.:)	Examiner: Ernesto Garcia
10/613,605)	
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July 3, 2003)	
For:)	
FASTENERS, RAILING)	
SYSTEM AND METHOD OF)	
ASSEMBLY)	

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed January 16, 2007, the following amendments and remarks are submitted for the Examiner's consideration. The Applicants note that the three-month deadline for filing a response to the pending Office Action is April 16, 2007; thus, this Amendment is timely.